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Via ECF

Honorable Julien Xavier Neals, U.S.D.J.
 United States District Court
 District of New Jersey
 MK Jr. Federal Bldg. & U.S. Courthouse
 50 Walnut Street
 Newark, New Jersey 07102

Re: James R. Baucum, D.O. v. Rutgers University, The State University of New Jersey, et al.; Civil Action No.: 2:23-cv-20707-JXN-JSA

Dear Judge Neals:

As you are aware, this office represents Plaintiff James R. Baucum, D.O., (“Plaintiff”) in the above-referenced matter.

I write on behalf of Plaintiff to revise the deadlines in the briefing schedule with respect to (a) Defendant Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey’s Motion to Dismiss [ECF No. 22] and (b) Defendants RWJ Barnabas Health, Inc., and Jersey City Medical Center, Inc.’s Motion to Dismiss [ECF No. 23], both of which are returnable on February 20, 2024. We are requesting that the existing briefing schedule be extended as follows:

- All opposition papers to the motions must be filed on or before February 9, 2024, and
- Any reply papers in further support of the motions must be filed on or before February 16, 2024

The above request is being made as I am sick with the flu and currently out of the office. Counsel for Rutgers has graciously consented to the revised schedule. I thank the Court for its courtesies. If the foregoing meets with the Court’s approval, Plaintiff respectfully requests that this letter be “so ordered.”

Respectfully submitted,

/s/Brent R. Pohlman, Esq.

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Cc: All Counsel of Record (*Via ECF*)
 James R. Baucum, DO (*Via E-Mail*)